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Marked Up Version of Changes to Specification

Paragraph at page 30, lines 20-25.

~~An example of Peak Load: Virtual Meter according to the invention versus Real Meters is shown in Figure 8. In this a hypothetical example of peak load, a virtual meter of the present invention can be compared to real meters. In this example, the combined total energy usage recorded by four meters A, B, C and D was 95 kW. However, Meter A reached its peak at 4:00 p.m. on the third day of the month, Meter B's peak occurred at 10:00 a.m. on the 12th, Meter C recorded its highest usage at noon on the 16th and Meter D recorded its peak at 6:00 p.m. on the 29th. Despite the fact that none of these peaks occurred at the same time, or even on the same day, the customer was charged for the combined total of the four.~~